

Springdale Methodist Church

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www.wolverhamptoncircuit.co.uk

Sunday 1st July 2018

Church flowers to be donated by Sarah Harrison – Thank you

Stewards on duty: Val Campion & Sue Readshaw

Morning Worship 10.30am

Mrs Wendy Gould

Josie Daly & Gill Nock

Sue Readshaw

Evening worship 6.30pm

Local Arrangement

Stewards

Lesley Cook

Worship Led by**Door Stewards****Reader**

Coffee is served after morning worship. Do stay for a drink and fellowship.



Babies and children are welcome in Church. There is also a crèche available.

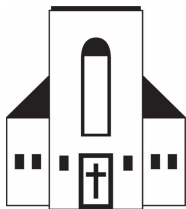


There is a Traidcraft stall after morning worship on the last Sunday of every month.

If you are a visitor and want to know more about worship here at Springdale then please have a chat with one of the Church Stewards (who will be wearing a badge) who will be able to help.

In cases of special need or illness, please contact the Minister or Lay Worker as soon as possible (contact details are at the top of this page).

Springdale has a 'prayer chain' where emergency prayer requests can be shared and will be prayed for over the seven days. All information will be kept confidential. Further details can be found on the notice board by the ladies' toilets. To initiate the chain please call Revd Teddy or Val Campion.



Springdale News & Events

- * New this week
- * **There will be a Worship Consultation** meeting in the Fellowship Room on Thursday 5th July at 7.30pm. It is open to everyone, please pray for its success.
- * **Monday House group** - Monday 2 July, 46 Lancaster Gardens from 10.00 for coffee
- * **Volunteers needed for Night Shelter for homeless.** The Night Shelter in the church at Broad Street is now able to operate all year round, but unfortunately it may have to close over the Summer months if more volunteers to cover holidays can't be found. **Rev Steve Jackson** is a volunteer himself, and arranged speakers for the recent Circuit Meeting to appeal for more volunteers. Some people are needed to chat and help the clients before they go to sleep, then they can go home. A couple of folk need to stay over night. It is reassuring that there is rarely any trouble. If you are interested in this really worthwhile work please email Steve Jackson.
- * **Methodist Women in Britain, Wolverhampton and Shrewsbury District.** There will be a day meeting on Thursday 12th July at Short Heath Methodist Church, Willenhall. The speaker will be Rev Andrew Roberts on "Holy Habits". 10.30 - 3.30. Please bring packed lunch - drinks provided. I plan to go to this event, so please contact me if you would like a lift. Wendy Gould
- * **Help needed.**- Could you help with Summer holiday activity for the Junior Church? Our

Junior Church leaders are having a well earned rest whilst the rest of us help the children complete a banner, designed by Terri. All materials will be supplied. The Sundays are, 22nd July, 29th July, 5th, 19th and 26th August. There will be a list in the atrium to sign up. The children will be in church for the first 15 minutes as usual. There will be All Age Worship on Sunday 12th August. Thanking you in anticipation! Penny

- * **Church of Sanctuary.** At the recent meeting of Church Council, It was proposed that Springdale become the first Church of Sanctuary in the Wolverhampton Circuit. This was passed unanimously. This commits us to 1. " developing a welcoming, hospitable, inclusive environment in our church community in which strangers feel genuinely welcome even if they are not like us. 2. supporting organisations and events seeking to offer information and hospitality, such as Good Shepherd and Wolverhampton City of Sanctuary

Good Shepherd Centre - Many thanks to those of you who contribute to the basket in the Atrium with goods for the Good Shepherd Centre. We currently have a small band of men who take their cars to a friendly farmer in Wombourne who gives a large amount of vegetables for £15 per week. These are loaded into the car and delivered to the centre at Darlington Street and off loaded by the volunteers there. The money for these vegetables is donated by church members who have been giving the money via the church bank account or via John. Recently, whilst John has been unwell, Bryan Cook has been co-ordinating this service for which we are very grateful. If anyone else is willing to collect and deliver the veg on a rota basis on a Tuesday morning please speak to Bryan, Lesley or one of the stewards. Money may be donated either in an envelope marked 'Good Shepherd Vegetables' and put in the

collection or given to a steward or the Treasurer (Nicola)

Ecumenical Summer Bible Study. Try something new this summer: 'Come on in - Everyone welcome!' This year we will be exploring the parables of Jesus in new and memorable ways, through pictures and models, music and stories, tastes and smells, movement and touch, group discussion and individual reflection. Each session will be held at Springdale starting at 7.15 for tea and cake for a 7.30 start. Dates are 25th July, 1st August, 8th August, and 15th August. Each session is stand alone, so you can attend one or all four. No need to sign up – just pop in. If you would like a lift or more information speak to Helen Cook.

Cake Sale for 3 Generate fundraising - Junior church are organising a cake sale on Sunday 15th July after morning worship. We are raising funds to help to finance our trip to 3 generate 2018. Donations of cakes and eager customers will be very welcome.

Job opportunity - Beckminster Methodist Church, part time youth, children and families worker, 20 hours per week. Salary in the range (£9,100 - £9575) according to experience for a 20 hour week. Further details and application form available from the Church Secretary, Beckminster Methodist Church, Tel: 01902 344910 Email: office [at]beckminster.org.uk. Closing date for applications: 12 noon Monday 16th July 2018

Fellowship Hour – Tuesday 3rd July, 2.30pm, business meeting.

Against the Grain, an evening with Garth Hewitt. Drawing on his extensive catalogue of songs old and new, Garth sings of hope and justice for uncertain times Wednesday 12 September 2018, 7.30pm, Beckminster Methodist Church, Birches Barn Road,

Wolverhampton, WV3 7BQ. Tickets: £10 (advanced), £12 (on the door), concessions £8 Available from: 01902 344910 or jandp.info[at]gmail.com

Contemplative Prayers - Date for next month is July 18th. This a group open to anyone who wants to explore silence. For more information speak to Helen Cook

Kitchen Fund –Target: £30,000; Total raised so far: £ 22,922

Offerings for May - £2842

Thanks for all your giving in whatever way you do it, cash, standing order, cheques, envelopes, online and not forgetting all the time you freely give to enable our church to show the love of God in our community and beyond. Should you wish to Gift Aid your offering, envelopes are available. Any bronze coins received in collections will be banked for the annual bronze coin charity.

Notices

Any notices for inclusion in next week's sheet should be sent to Rachel Peterson in text format at [notices\[at\]springdalechurch.org.uk](mailto:notices[at]springdalechurch.org.uk) before 7.30pm Wednesday. Notices received after this will be included the following week. Please keep notices as brief as possible. Thank you

Next Week: Sunday 8th July 2018

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Stewards on duty: David Crook and Michael Oakes

	Holy Communion 10.30am	Holy Communion 6.30pm
Worship Led by	Revd Bill Mash	Revd Teddy Siwila
Door Stewards	Lyn Langford & Ruth Hipgrave	Richard Gould
Reader	Josie Daly	Angela Hawkins
